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Dear Sir:

In Response to the Official Action mailed January 24, 2000, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner enter the following Amendment and consider the